



**AUSTRALIAN
CHRISTIAN COLLEGE**

Hume
2014 Annual Report

Australian Christian College – Hume

Reg. No. 2086:

Annual Report for 2014

Introduction

This Annual Report provides an overview of various aspects of school life in 2014. The report is published in accordance with Federal and State government compliance requirements and gives information for the benefit of government compliance, parents and the community.

Workforce Composition

The school employed two full-time teachers and one part-time teacher.

There was one full-time Administrator throughout the year.

Other part time and casual staff assisted as Teacher's Aides, Kindergarten Assistant, Ground Maintenance and Casual Relief Teachers.

In 2014, the staff attendance rate was 99%.

There were no indigenous teachers at school in 2014.

Teacher Standards and Qualifications

Name	Role	Registration	Qualifications	Class
Norm Fitzgerald (full-time)	Teacher/Principal	Full Registration #176183	B.Mus.(Hons), B.A., Dip. Teaching, A.T.C.L.	Years 3 – 6 (80% class time)
Suzanne Roe (part-time)	Teacher	Permission to Teach #343287	Dip. Teaching	Prep – Year 2 (80% class time)
Jessica Waite (full-time)	Teacher	Full Registration #377112	B.Ed.	Prep – Year 2 (20%) Years 3 – 6 (20%) Preschool (60%)

Professional Development

In 2014, staff attended the following Professional Developments:

- 4.2.14 Stitches First Aid: CPR & Anaphylaxis review (1 day, 5 staff members)
- 20.3.14 Reading Workshop (0.5 days, 1 teacher)
- 19.5.14 Together We Grow: Conference (1 day, 1 teacher)
- 4.6.14 In Safe Hands: Online Induction Child Protection (0.5 days, 1 Teacher's Aide)
- 13.6.14 ISV Network Meeting: Students With Disabilities (0.5 days, Principal and Administrator)
- 4-5.9.14 ACC Principals Conference (2 days, Principal)
- 12.9.14 ISV Network Meeting: Students With Disabilities (0.5 days, Principal and Administrator)
- 6.6.14 Yarrowonga Neighbourhood House: Apply First Aid (2 days, Principal)
- 23.9.14 Family Day Care Training and Recruitment: Diploma of Children's Services (Partial Course Fee, Prekindergarten Teacher)

Total cost of Professional Development in 2014 was \$2500.

ACC allocates \$500 per staff member per school year for ongoing professional development.

Student Enrolment

There were two classes at school: the Junior Class consisted of Prep-Yr2 students and the Senior Class covered Yr3-6.

The enrolment in 2014 was as follows, according to Census data:

Class	February 2014	August 2014
Prep	6	6
Year 1	7	7
Year 2	4	2
Year 3	6	6
Year 4	4	4
Year 5	1	0
Year 6	2	2

TOTAL	30	27
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Student Attendance

Student attendance in 2014 was as follows:

Class	Attendance
Prep	98%
Year 1	97%
Year 2	97%
Year 3	96%
Year 4	95%
Year 5	100%
Year 6	96%
TOTAL	97%

Total attendance trends over the last three years in percentage form:

2014	2013	2012
97%	95%	95%

The attendance figures show that attendance has been steady for the last two years, but improved 2014. Attendance was affected by family holidays held during term and sickness.

The school monitors attendance and absences twice per day: at roll call held between 9.00-9.10am and 3.00-3.10pm. Attendance and absences were recorded on File Maker for the first half of the year then on Quickschools. A note from the parent/guardian is required for absences giving the reason for the absence. This note is kept on file. Absences that are not accounted for within a few days are followed up with a phone call to parents.

Parents receive a summary of days absent twice per year with their Student Report.

Student Outcomes

The National Assessment Program - Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) assesses all students in Australian schools in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9.

The school participated in NAPLAN. Due to the small number of students sitting, the school did not meet the reporting threshold in 2012 to 2014. School results, therefore, have not been published. In 2014, there were six Year 3 student registered at the school during the NAPLAN testing period and no students in Year 5.

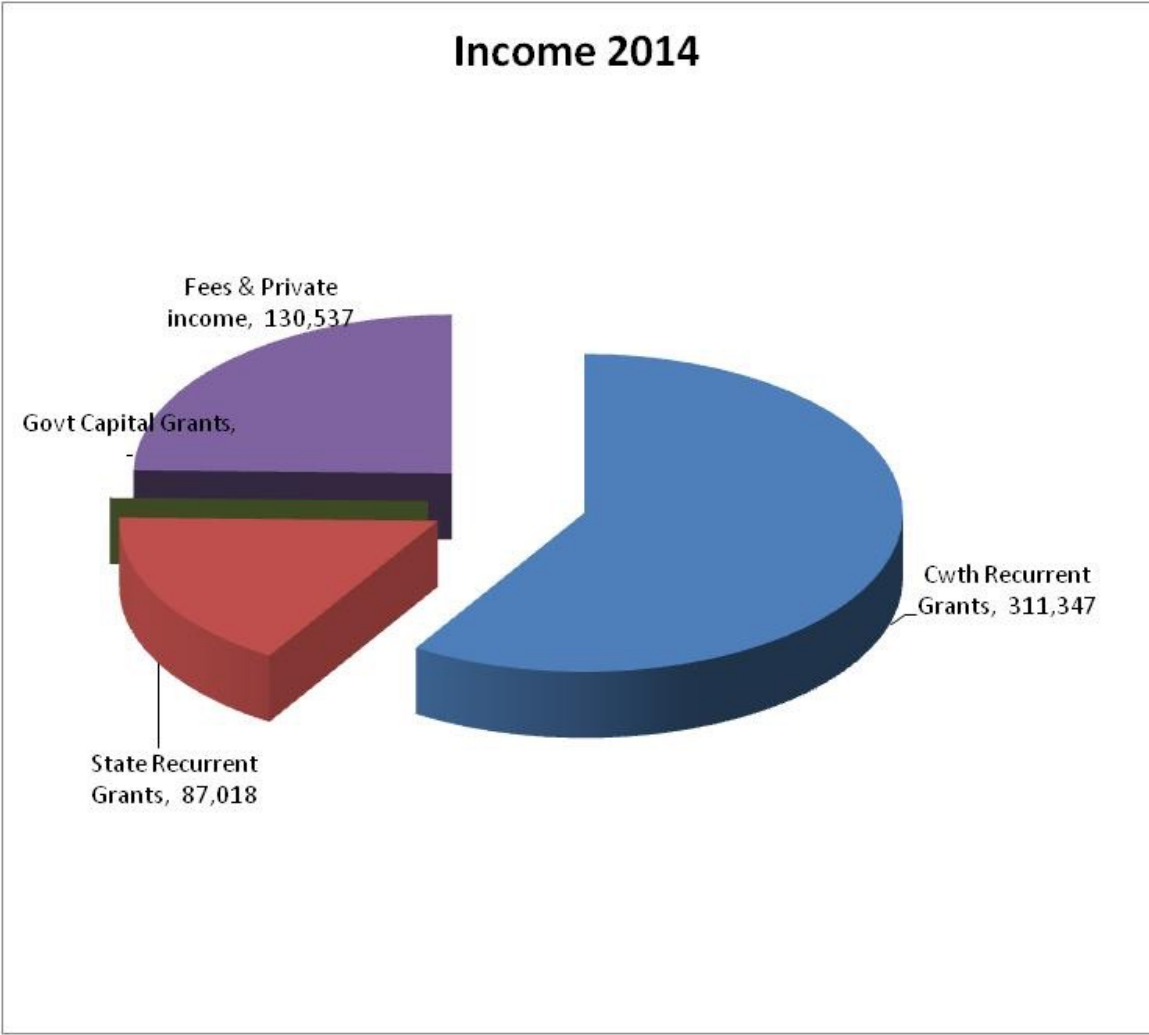
ACC Hume is a P-6 school. No information is applicable for standardised assessment results for Year 9 and 10 students, senior secondary outcomes, the proportion of Year 9 students retained to Year 12 and post-school destinations.

Student, Parent and Teacher Satisfaction

In response to the School's performance in 2014:

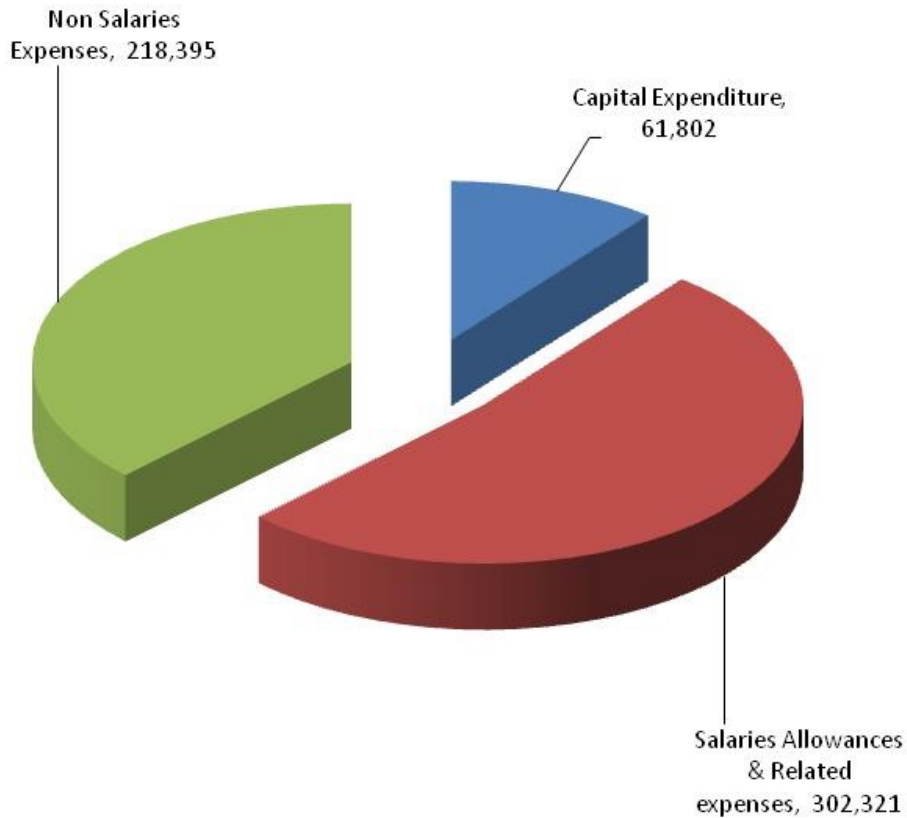
- Parent Surveys were addressed to fifteen families in attendance in 2014. Two Parent Surveys were returned representing two school students. Both indicated high satisfaction with the school. Two concerns have been noted and considered. Discussions with parents throughout 2014 indicated high satisfaction with the school.
- Fourteen students were surveyed. Each reflected positively on the school. Suggested improvements were noted.
- All staff, including, the two teaching staff other than the Principal, attended six monthly Staff Appraisal interviews. Both indicated high satisfaction with the operation of the school and support given. Some concerns were raised and addressed.

Income by Funding Source



Financial Activities

Expenses 2014



Report Availability

Copies of this report can be found:

1. On the Victorian State Register.
2. On the Australian Christian College – Hume website: www.acc.edu.au
3. At the Australian Christian College – Hume office: 21 Sydney Rd, Benalla, Victoria.